

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

REGION IX

75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105-3901

Sent via email only

August 10, 2021

Rebecca Hollis Clean Energy Systems 3035 Prospect Park Dr., Suite 120 Rancho Cordova, California 95670

Re: Evaluation of Updated Permit Application

CES-Mendota Site Underground Injection Control (UIC) Permit Application Class VI Pre-Construction Permit Application No. R9UIC-CA6-FY20-1

Dear Ms. Hollis:

The United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 9 (EPA) has reviewed Clean Energy System's updated permit application dated June 18, 2021. Based on our evaluation, CES generally incorporated all clarifications and updated figures, tables, etc. that were provided in responses to EPA's Requests for Additional Information (RAIs) 1-5 into the updated permit application and attachments as requested, except those noted in the Enclosure.

Please address the follow-up requests in the Enclosure by August 23, 2021 and submit revised application attachments in the appropriate GSDT modules (e.g., ProjInfo, AoRModeling, ProjPlan, etc). If you have any questions about this letter and the Enclosure, please contact me at (415) 972-3971 or call Calvin Ho at (415) 972-3262.

Sincerely,

DAVID ALBRIGHT ALBRIGHT

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Enclosure

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